

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Atty. Docket

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PHN 17,834

Filed: CONCURRENTLY

Title: AUDIO SIGNAL PROCESSING DEVICE

Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 4, line 2, delete "2, or 3".

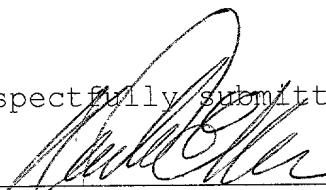
Claim 5, line 2, delete "2 or 3,".

REMARKS

The claims have been amended to delete multiple dependencies.

The above amendments are submitted to place this application in proper U.S. format. Entry of the amendment and an early action on the merits are solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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